

The primary election will be over tomorrow, but indications are that all of us except the nominees will have to keep on working just as we have always done in the past.

WEATHER
Tonight and Tuesday, partly cloudy.

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TWO PLANES REACH ICELAND, THIRD IS WRECKED AT SEA

Smith Joins Nelson on Iceland Coast Sunday Afternoon

WADE HAS CLOSE CALL

Forced to Land on Water When Engine Trouble Develops

(By the Associated Press)

HORNAFJORD, Iceland, Aug. 2. The second American world flier, Lieut. Lowell H. Smith, arrived here from Kirkwall, Orkney islands, at 1:37 p. m. Sunday.

The third plane, piloted by Lieut. Leigh Wade, failed to complete the flight when he was forced down into the water about midway between Iceland and the Orkneys.

Wade came down approximately midway between the Orkneys and Iceland. A trawler found and took his plane in tow.

On Board L. S. S. Richmond, Aug. 4.—The Boston, the airplane piloted by Lieut. Leigh Wade, in the American army around the world flight, was abandoned early today. The plane was taken in tow by the Richmond yesterday when Lieut. Wade and his mechanic Sgt. Arthur Ogden had been forced down by engine trouble while negotiating the hop from Kirkwall in the Orkneys to Iceland.

The Richmond's efforts to salvage the wrecked plane was abandoned when the machine which had been gradually filling while towing it in a heavy sea was capsized. Seeing the uselessness of attempting to save it the officer cut it adrift. The Richmond then turned about and made for Reykjavik, Iceland.

Lieut. Wade, on board the Richmond was charged over the fact that he brought his plane to grief and stopped the participating of himself and Sergeant Ogden in the flight when it was so nearly completed. Describing his experience Lieut. Wade said:

"It was the first time we had trouble with the oil pump and the second forced landing in the 19,000 miles flight. The first was on the Japanese coast when we came down for water.

"On yesterday's flight when the trouble began we signaled Lieut. Smith by waving that we were forced down, also that the engine was out of commission and requested him to advise the patrol. We expected to remain in the water until the Richmond arrived. We saw a merchant vessel at 2 o'clock in the afternoon but could not attract its attention. An hour later the trawler that rescued us was sighted. We had to signal him with pistols and rifles before we were seen."

Lieutenant Wade said he and Sergeant Ogden were afraid at first to eat the sandwiches and drink the water they had not knowing how long it would be before they were rescued. They were confident all along, however, they would sight a vessel and reach land and kept their plane constantly before the wind. They suffered from cold at first as the wrecked craft was tossed about by the waves. Their main anxiety was to save the plane and continue the flight.

At 5 o'clock yesterday morning the Richmond sighted the destroyer Billingsley which had come to the wrecked plane after the trawler found it. The Billingsley was steaming slowly toward the plane, while the trawler was standing by. Lieutenants Wade and Sergeant Ogden were still aboard the Boston. They said later that the trawler had not offered to send a boat but indicated her intention of remaining on hand in the hope of being of assistance in saving the plane, and if necessary, pick up the men.

A heavy sea and freshening wind made it difficult to bring the disabled airplane alongside the Richmond. Finally a line was floated from the Billingsley by a buoy and then passed to the Boston. By this means the plane was held in tow and brought to the lee side of the cruiser. Hoisting gear was set in motion and attempted to lift the plane, but the strain of 5,300 pounds caused it to give way and a steel boom dropped crashing thru the plane and wrecking it.

Wade and Ogden who had boarded the cruiser meanwhile, witnessed the accident from the deck of the Richmond.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Unless the plane of Lieutenant Wade, around the world flier, can be repaired at Reykjavik he is definitely out of the world flight, it was said today at the war department.

It was understood that consideration of a plan to send another craft to replace the Boston would not be pursued because it was found to be impracticable. On arrival of the Richmond at Reykjavik unless Lieut. Wade's ship is in better condition than reports have indicated

Oklahoma Cotton Crop Promises to Pass Million Mark

OKLAHOMA CITY—Oklahoma's cotton crop this year may reach 1,122,000 bales, according to a report released by C. D. Carter, statistician of the state department of agriculture Sunday. Should present weather conditions continue, production may exceed that figure.

The condition of cotton was reported to be 76 percent of normal on July 25, a gain of 5 percent over the June report, said Carter. That part of the crop in the southeast and south central portion is in the best condition, the report states.

Corn is 81 percent of normal, and a yield of 74,313,000 bushels is forecast.

Such a production will double the corn yield of last year, according to the report.

NATIONAL GUARD UNITS LEAVE FOR FORT SILL

The three national guard units of Ada, two batteries and the regimental band, left this morning at 3 o'clock for the annual two weeks encampment at Fort Sill. Probably about 200 from Ada were on the train.

For several days preparations for the occasion had been under way and Sunday night the boys camped near the Santa Fe station and were in readiness for the special train which took them to their destination. They expected to arrive at Fort Sill about noon.

State Troop Off.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 4.—(Special)—Five thousand Oklahoma national guardsmen were on the move Sunday. Heading the call for the annual mobilization for two weeks summer training at Fort Sill army post, twenty-five trainloads of guardsmen and their equipment were converging from every district of Oklahoma with the fort as the main objective.

Nine trains were expected to discharge guardsmen, and army equipment at Fort Sill Sunday and Sunday night, while sixteen additional trains were scheduled to arrive Monday.

Equipment for every man, trucks, field kitchens, horses and artillery are included in the transport trains. More than 600 horses will be required as mounts and for draft purposes.

Cost of the camp will be more than \$300,000. Ninety percent of this expense is borne by the federal government, guard officers say.

Oklahoma City units mobilized at the armory at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon to leave on special trains leaving at 4:30 o'clock and 6 o'clock Monday morning.

FORMER BANK OFFICERS FACE SERIOUS CHARGES

PAWHUSKA, Aug. 4.—O. C. Webster, cashier, O. A. Clark, assistant cashier, and S. E. Johnson, former president of the bank of Apperson were arrested today on charges growing out of the closing of the bank last week.

Webster and Clark were charged with receiving deposits in an insolvent bank and Johnson was charged with violation of the state banking laws. Other arrests are expected to follow later in the day, according to county officials.

DAVIS WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN IN WEST

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Organization problems were discussed at democratic national committee headquarters today by Clem L. Shaver, the acting chairman.

Referring to campaign plans he said that John W. Davis, the party's candidate for president, would open his campaign proper in a middle-western city after his acceptance address, but not until the candidates of both major parties for president and vice president had made their acceptance speeches.

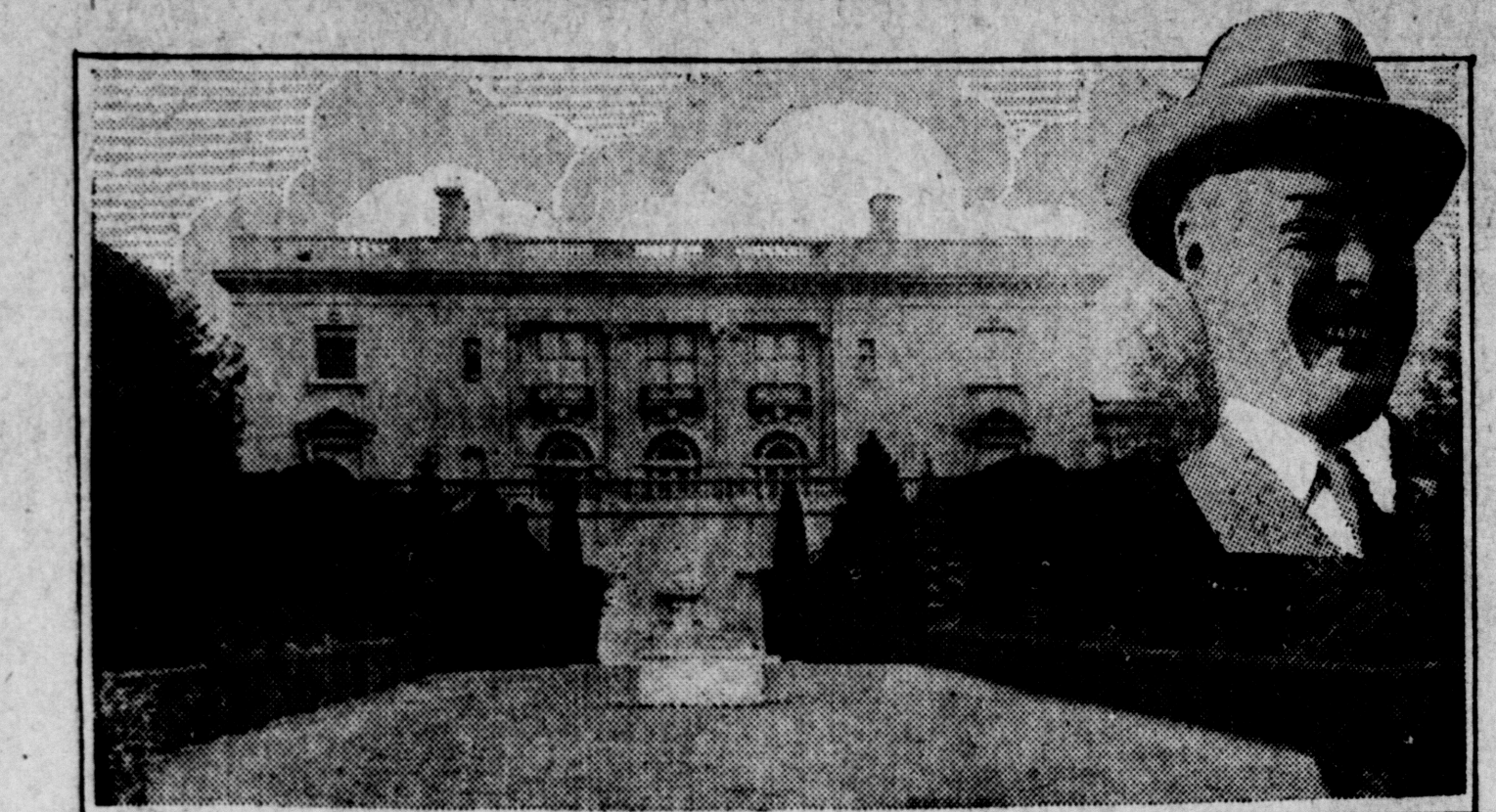
Mr. Shaver will go to New York tomorrow night and return here again on Wednesday morning.

May Repair Airplane
REYKJAVIK, Aug. 4.—The wrecked airplane which had been piloted by Lieutenant Leigh Wade in the America round the world flight and which was abandoned early this morning by the cruiser Richmond is being taken to the Faroe islands by the trawler Rugby in order to ascertain whether it may be possible to repair it in time to continue the flight, it is understood here.

If it is possible to repair the Boston despite serious damage to the planes wings and outboard the cruiser Raleigh will bring the machine to Reykjavik where the repairs will be made and where, if possible, Lieutenant Wade will continue his flight.

It has not yet been decided whether Flight Commander Lowell H. Smith and Lieutenant Eric Nelson will start for Hoans Hornafjord for Reykjavik today or tomorrow.

Mansion Offered Prince of Wales for American Stay



The palatial home (above) of G. H. Senff at Syosset, East Norwich, on Long Island, has been offered to the Prince of Wales (inset is his latest photo) for his use while he is on Long Island to see the international polo matches. The prince will leave the steamer, on which he will arrive about Aug. 29, in New York bay and land directly on the island. After the polo matches he will enroute at New London, Conn., for his ranch near Calgary, Alberta, with the idea of avoiding stops in large cities.

CAMPAIGN NOW IN FINAL STAGE

McKeown Rally at Convention Hall Tonight Final Event Of Campaign

The primary campaign is about to ring down the curtain. A McKeown rally here tonight at the Convention Hall and political speeches in various parts of the county will close the campaign. The voters will begin casting their ballots for their favorites early Tuesday morning.

Most of the campaign thunder let loose here has been for the candidates for the United States senate and for county offices. The race for representative in congress and supreme court justice have also commanded some attention.

Ada has only two candidates for district or state offices elected by more than this county. These are Tom D. McKeown, candidate to succeed himself in congress, and Robert Wimlish, candidate for justice of the supreme court. Mr. McKeown has made several speeches in the county and will close the campaign with a big rally at the Convention Hall tonight. Forecasts from his office are that he will carry every county in the district, most of them by overwhelming majorities. There is doubt about only one county, and even that is apparently safe now.

Mr. Wimlish has made his campaign at home, stating that he felt the people knew him and a race at home was not needed. He feels confident of winning and expects to carry a clear majority over his three opponents in several counties.

The county races on the whole have been conducted with energy and more or less bitterness. Generally, however, with the exception of the campaign for justice, the better candidates are for a better government than the public will approve of their platforms and personal fitness for the various offices.

WHERE ADA VOTERS WILL CAST BALLOTS

Following is a list of voting places in Ada at tomorrow's primary as nearly as could be ascertained:

Ward 1.
Precinct 1—City Hall
Precinct 2—Chevrolet garage, East Main
Precinct 3—Hayes school house.
Ward 2.
Precinct 1—Day and Night garage, North Broadway.
Precinct 2—Willard school house.
Ward 3.
Precinct 1—Corner West Main and Townsend.
Precinct 2—Glenwood school house.
Ward 4.
Precinct 1—Convention hall.
Precinct 2—High school.

FORMER COLLEGE STUDENT DROWNED NEAR SASAKWA

Miss Ruby Lunsford, nineteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lunsford of Sasakwa was drowned yesterday afternoon near home at Sasakwa, while swimming. Miss Lunsford was a student of the local college this summer and left many friends in Ada.

Among those who are attending the funeral today are Mrs. L. H. Hodges, Misses Bertha Sturdevant and Delphia Hatfield.

Buy it—rent it—sell it—find it with a NEWS want ad.

Dr. Cook Denied Habeas Corpus Writ by Court

(By the Associated Press)

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 4.—Although the plea of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, former explorer and convicted oil promoter, for release on a writ of habeas corpus was refused this afternoon, Federal Judge Wilson said it was because of a lack of jurisdiction and announced he would have granted the writ if such action had come within his authority.

The court of jurisdiction, he said was the circuit court of appeals. Cook is facing a prison term of 14 years and a fine of \$12,000 for his oil promotions.

ADA LAD INJURED IN CAR WRECK EARLY TODAY

Ivan Branscome, son of G. E. Branscome, was slightly injured, an automobile mechanic from Allen, whose name was not learned, was also injured, and two Ford cars were almost demolished in a head-on collision on the highway east of Ada early today.

Both cars, according to reports, were going a rapid pace, and both were in the middle of the road. Attempts to get out of the way caused confusion and the two Fords clashed, wrecking the Branscome car and damaging the other.

G. E. Branscome says he thinks neither of the drivers was seriously injured. Ivan was injured in one side but it is not considered serious.

NAZARENES HAVE GOOD DAY WITH REVIVALS

Rev. Lum Jones delivered two stirring messages at the Nazarene revival, corner of Oak and Ninth Sunday. Reports from the meeting say the crowds are increasing and all of the people cannot be seated.

Rev. Jones is preaching on hell and the judgment, repentance, confession and restitution. He believes people should restore and make everything right with God and man. Several were converted Sunday night. The meetings will continue through next Sunday.

British Flier Gives Up Attempt To Circle Earth

(By the Associated Press)

CORDOVA, Alaska, Aug. 4.—Maj. A. Stuart MacLaren, leader of a flight around the world by British soldiers that started from Calicut, England, March 25, announced in a wireless message received here today that the adventure had been abandoned at Nikolski Island, Siberia.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

ELECTION RETURNS

The News will receive county and state election returns Tuesday night. These will be announced from the front of the building, beginning around 8 o'clock or soon thereafter. On account of the operators and tabulators working on the inside, it will be necessary to keep the doors of the office closed. So come early, get a good place on North Broadway and listen to the returns as they come in. They will be announced so that all can hear them.

'CHILDISH COMPACT' ALIENIST DECLARES

Second Alienist on Stand for Leopold and Franks Gives Opinion

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Dr. William Healy, Boston psychiatrist, testifying as a defense alienist today at the hearing to determine punishment for Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, Jr., for the kidnapping and murder of Robert Franks, asserted that "an incredibly absurd childish compact" bound the boys together and had a bearing on the ultimate actions of the youths.

As to the condition of the "childish compact," which had influenced the later lives of Loeb and Leopold, nothing was said in open court. Judge John H. Caverly ruling with Dr. Healy that the matter was unthinkable and having him recite it to the court stenographers for the record.

"Nothing that is unfit for publication is coming out here," Judge Caverly asserted.

"There will be nothing brought out here that is not fit for publication," declared Judge Caverly. He directed the attorneys and court stenographers to gather closely about the witness and Dr. Healy proceeded with his testimony in a quiet tone.

"Get back there, you newspaper men," directed Judge Caverly, when reporters and photographers pressed forward. "This is not fit for publication and you are not going to get it."

Judge Caverly overruled Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, in his contention that the testimony should be brought out openly.

Dr. Healy testified both boys had told him they would again go through with the Franks murder if their associations and the conditions were the same. He said Loeb told him he "found nothing to deter him" and that Leopold had said "he would commit the crime again if it gave him pleasure."

Dr. Healy was the second alienist to testify for the defense and his testimony went in over state objections. Judge Caverly again ruling that the court had a right to listen to evidence in mitigation of punishment as he had ruled Friday when the testimony of Dr. William A. White was permitted, marking a new departure in Illinois jurisprudence.

PROGRAM FOR MCKEOWN RALLY HERE TONIGHT

Preceding the speech by Hon. Tom D. McKeown at the Convention Hall this evening, there will be a short concert of music and reading by young talented Ada boys and girls. The program will begin at 7:45 o'clock. It will be in charge of Mrs. L. P. Sandbach and will be as follows:

Reading by Maxx Braly.
Piano duet by Ida and Julia Jacobson.
Piano solo by Romona Carl.
Piano solo by Catherine Manville.
Violin solo by Miss Elizabeth Cain.

ENGLAND AND RUSSIA REACH AGREEMENT

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Aug. 4.—An Anglo-Russian agreement was reported this afternoon to have concluded an important economic and financial agreement.

The dinar, the money in vogue in Herod's time, has been adopted as a monetary unit in Palestine.

Joseph Conrad, Noted Writer of Sea Novels, Dead

(By the Associated Press)

BISHOPSBORNE, Eng., Aug. 4.—Lovers of literature are today mourning the passing of Joseph Conrad, imminent author of sea tales who died at his home yesterday in his 67th year. Death came suddenly. Mr. Conrad was apparently in normal health Saturday morning. By night, however, he was seized with an attack of asthma which developed with such rapidity that his physicians advised the use of oxygen. The novelist spent a restless night and at 8:30 in the morning while resting in a chair, suddenly expired in his chair being unable to withstand the asthmatic attack.

KLAN SAID TO HAVE ENDORSED HOWARD

(From the Oklahoman)

E. B. Howard of Tulsa, former congressman, was made the official endorsee of the Ku Klux Klan in the race for the democratic nomination for United States senator Sunday.

N. C. Jewett, grand dragon, announced this step on the part of the Klan while firing a battery of telegrams from his headquarters to every Klan unit in the state. The telegrams follow:

"Have every reason to believe that Walton is now in third place. The race is between Howard and Wrightman. Howard will win if you go behind him. Verify this message if you do not believe it authentic."

"N. C. JEWETT."

That the Klan membership of Oklahoma forced Jewett to "back up," is the talk among politicians around the hotel lobbies.

It is common talk that upon the appearance of the Fiery Cross editorial klansmen from over the state began to deluge the "imperial palace" at Atlanta with telegrams demanding the removal of Jewett as grand dragon. Several hundred telegrams of this nature are said to have been sent from Oklahoma City Saturday.

Many declare that the Klan of the state is virtually in open revolt against Jewett, who is not elected by Oklahoma klansmen, but is appointed by the "imperial wizard" in Atlanta.

Prior to sending the telegrams, Jewett wired every Klan local to hold a joint mass meeting of men and women Monday night.

"The meeting Monday night will be Howard from start to finish," said Jewett.

"The Klan," continued Jewett, "is cemented and crystallized on Howard. We're going down the line for him."

Coolidge Putting Finishing Touches On Keynote Speech

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Intensified effort during the week had brought near to completion Saturday night the address President Coolidge is preparing for delivery here August 14 in accepting the Republican presidential nomination and in inaugurating the Republican national campaign.

The Republican nominee has worked as assiduously on the speech this week as his official duties would permit, and Saturday chose to forgo his week-end cruise down the Potomac in order to spend an entire afternoon on the task.

Several sections of the address remain to be drafted but for the most part it is in such shape as only to need the usual polishing off that public speakers like to give to prepared addresses. Mr. Coolidge wants to have it entirely completed by the middle of the coming week when William M. Butler, chairman of the Republican National committee, arrives here for conferences and to take charge of final arrangements for the notification ceremonies.

Among the subjects to be considered by Mr. Butler at his conferences here with Mr. Coolidge is the proposal advanced by a number of Republican leaders, notably Senator Curtis of Kansas, that an additional headquarters be established in Minneapolis or some other city in the northwest from which a concentrated campaign in that section would be conducted. This section is looked upon by both Republican and Democratic leaders as the stronghold of Senator La Follette, the independent presidential candidate, and Senator Curtis has advised Republican campaign managers that he has reasons to believe every one of the northwestern states except possibly Wisconsin and North Dakota, could be carried by the Republicans if the proper sort of campaign were conducted.

Charles B. Warren, retiring ambassador to Mexico, who is a guest at the White House, said Saturday that he expected to take an active part in the campaign, but did not disclose what form his participation would take. He is being consulted at present by Mr. Coolidge in his preparation of his notification speech.

The expression "bee's knees" and "snakes hips" may be heard with frequency among the Indians of today.

MEXICAN FORCES SEARCHING FOR EVANS SLAYERS

Britain Stirred Over Assassination of Woman Saturday Night

FOUGHT FOR HOME

American Minister Takes Hand in Matter With Mexican Government

(By the Associated Press)

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 4.—Federal forces are searching for slayers of Mrs. Rosalie Evans, who was shot dead from ambush near Texmalucan Puebla, Saturday night. The widow of a British subject, a former president of the Bank of London in Mexico, Mrs. Evans was one of the central figures in the recent international affairs between Great Britain and Mexico culminating in the withdrawal of the British charge d'affaires, Herbert C. Cummings. Mr. Cummings was accused by the Mexicans of undue harshness in his communications regarding Mr. Evans' dispute with the Mexican government over attempts to divide her estate under the agrarian program.

Accompanied by John Strauss, the German manager of her estate, Mrs. Evans was driving homeward when shots came from the west and she fell from the wagon. Her hair became entangled in the wheels and her body was dragged some distance, badly mutilating her face. Strauss made desperate efforts to defend his employer but was wounded in the arm and forced to abandon the fight. He managed, however, to release her body from the wheels and summon help before collapsing.

Mrs. Evans' six year fight to hold her hacienda, consisting of 1080 hectares (about 438 acres) has been followed with intense interest in diplomatic circles and in both the British and American colonies. Mrs. Evans was formerly of Brownsville, Texas.

The question figured in the pre-recognition conference last summer when the American delegates made official efforts and succeeded in bringing about a meeting of Mrs. Evans and President Obregon. Several months later, when word reached the capital that the hacienda was surrounded by armed agrarians, volunteers from the British colony were invited to help protect the owner.

She personally waged a fearless fight, driving several invaders off her land at pistol point.

ITALIAN WHO KILLED GIRL SHOT TO DEATH

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—American charge Schoenfeld at Mexico City reported today to the state department that he had taken up with the Mexican government the case of Mrs. R. Evans a British subject who was shot Saturday night. Mexican authorities have given assurance that every effort will be made to apprehend and punish the murderers.

The charge acted in accordance with the requirements of his position. State department officials were unwilling to comment on the affair.

Ceremony Planned for Knights Templar Convention Next Year

(By the Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4.—John Tripolini, who late yesterday shot and fatally wounded a 15-year-old girl near Norco, St. Charles parish 30 miles up the Mississippi river, and who was discovered early today barricaded in a house, was shot and killed this forenoon by officers who laid siege to the place.

Col. Guy Malone, superintendent of the New Orleans police department, and one of his men who at the request of the sheriff of St. Charles parish, armed with tear gas bombs, fired more than 500 rifle bullets in to Tripolini's refuge.

Ceremony Planned for Knights Templar Convention Next Year

(By the Associated Press)

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 4.—Preliminary arrangements already have been made by Bethlehem Commandery of Seattle for an impressive ceremony to take place during the triennial convocation of the Knights Templar of the United States here in July, 1925.

The international traveling beaumont of the order will be formally presented to the commandery in the University of Washington stadium by the Western Gate Preceptory of Victoria, B. C. At the cross arms of a living passion cross formed by more than 2,500 Knights Templar, the beaumont, a reproduction of the battle guidon carried by the ancient Templars, will be presented of the order.

The beaumont was started on a world journey by the Grand Priory as 100 chapters sing age-old songs of Canada in March, 1921, to carry a message of universal peace.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD: I shall not want. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.—Psalm 23:1, 6.

Carter county is having a round in the courts over alleged irregularities in registration. It is charged that hundreds of voters, a large part of whom are negroes, were allowed to change their party affiliation without the 90 days notice required by law. This is a serious matter and other counties might do well to investigate their registration rolls. The law was designed to prevent politicians from corraling a herd of voters from another party on the eve of an election and swinging the result by that means. The idea was to keep every voter with his own party in a primary but if he had conscientiously changed his political opinions, to permit him to make a change by giving due notice. It is not a fair deal to permit members of one party to take part in the primaries of another intending all the while to vote another ticket in the final election.

Talk about hard luck, how about the two aviators who having made 19,000 miles of the journey around the world, lost out because engine trouble brought about the wreck of their plane. They were already thinking longingly of home when the accident left them without a plane. However, it is possible that the government will send them another one and they may yet come home and share in the triumph with the other two who are still going. The two who arrived in Iceland are now on the borderline of the western hemisphere whence they took their departure and the eastern half of the earth is in the rear and only a memory.

Tomorrow will be election day and the voters will name a set of county officials who are to serve from two to four years. It is the duty of every voter to cast his or her ballot for the best interests of the county and state. Too often blind prejudice rules or else some minor personal consideration enters into the making of a decision in this important matter. Sometimes people are so disgusted with the state of affairs that they refrain from going to the polls but this only helps to make bad matters worse. When the better element of citizenship neglects to vote the country is on the downgrade.

The burdens of the present would indeed be crushing were it not for the hope that a better day is ahead. One who sees nothing beyond the hour of darkness is doomed to misery which one who thinks of the time when there will be change for the better is spared. In short the man who is cast down because a rainstorm is raging suffers much more than one who looks ahead to the time when the sun will shine again and cause vegetation to spring up as a result of the very rain that causes the other man to give way to despondency.

A Swedish airplane constructor predicts that in the near future machines will be built that will have a speed of 1,200 miles an hour. That's going some, but it may be done. At that rate an aviator could leave a place at sunrise, completely outrun the sun and land 1,000 miles from his starting point before sunrise at the stopping point, thus witnessing two sunrises in one day.

The "clinging vine" type of girl who in former times appealed to the protective instinct of the male species, is fast disappearing. Modern ideas of hygiene have led the girls to develop their muscles and school athletics have been a large factor in developing a strong, healthy generation of girls who will be on an average much better physically than those who precede them.

With the primary out of the way Pontotoc county can turn its attention to the township and county fairs. Quite a few are already preparing exhibits and the prospects are good for the best line of fairs ever held in the county. These are things that merit attention and as the county progresses they will become a valuable advertising medium.

Oklahoma is gradually getting better roads. Before the present generation has passed, it will be possible to ride from Ada to New York city without getting off paved roads. By that time, too, the airplane may have made the automobile too slow. At any rate, the roads will be great while they are needed.

According to interviews from the various senatorial candidates appearing in Sunday's Oklahoman, each of the five expects to get anywhere from 75,000 to 100,000 votes out of the 275,000 it is estimated will be cast.

All sorts of panaceas to relieve the distressing agricultural situation have been offered by politicians, but so far as Pontotoc county is concerned, a good rain at this time would help more than any plan yet devised.

DON QUIXOTE AND SANCHE PANZA ARE ALL SET FOR THE BATTLE OF THE GIANT WINDMILLS



The Evening News Press

Save the Boys, Save the Nation
(McKinney (Tex.) Courier-Gazette)
That the way to stop crime is to prevent boys from growing up to be criminals, is being stressed by many educators and criminologists. That the habits formed in youth make the citizen so that adult education can seldom or never make him anything different, is confidently believed by many in a position to know.

David I. McCahill, Pittsburg worker among boys says:
"One unprincipled boy in a neighborhood can undo by his ideas and leadership all the teachings and examples that other boys bring with them from the best homes. The problem is not to subdue the courage of the 'gang leader,' but to guide it in the proper direction. I would like to see a non-sectarian, self-governing boys' club in every community so attractive that boys will be glad to spend their time together in healthy companionship. If such clubs were organized, invisible but general supervision of the boy would take place and the problem of the privileged boy would be practically solved."
William Lewis Butcher, New York City, secretary of the United States National Boys' Week says:
"The challenge of the boy is to

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the Democratic Primary, August 5, 1924.

For Representative
FRED F. BRYDIA
WILL M. THOMPSON
For Justice of Supreme Court 8th District—
ROBERT WIMBISH

For Sheriff:
W. B. WALKER
J. F. (Tad) LILLARD

For County Commissioner Dist. 1
W. H. BRUMLEY
H. CLAY STEPHENS

For Commissioner District No. 2.
C. J. (Charles) LASEMAN.

For Commissioner, District No. 3:
BOB BROOKS.
W. H. BRENTS.

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
MRS. PARRIE BRITT
A. FLOYD

For County Treasurer:
ALBERT CHAMBERLAIN.
J. W. WESTBROOK (2nd term)

For Court Clerk:
L. E. FRANKLIN.

For County Tax Assessor—
NICK HEARD

For County Clerk:
RIT ERWIN
W. A. PECK

For County Weigher:
JOHN WARD.

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Township—
H. J. BROWN, (Re-election)
W. H. FISHER.
JOSEPH ANDERSON

For Constable, Ada Township—
W. B. ADAIR
A. R. (BUD) EACKER
J. L. (JIM) MILLER.
E. E. UELTSCHY

find your place beside him as a friend and as a counsellor. He is the person who is going to carry on what you have started. He is going to sit in the halls of parliaments and occupy the benches of your supreme courts. If you make leagues and treaties he will have the management of them. All your work is for him and the fate of the nations and of humanity is in his hands. I commend this picture to the pulpits, the school teacher, politicians, social workers, and to those who boast of their nation's majesty, wealth, resources, and power.
"Habits formed in childhood are faster than colors dyed in wool. The American crime bill is \$3,000,000,000 a year, \$3,000,000,000 for crime against property alone. When you add to this the \$2,000,000 it costs the American nation to protect society against crime, then con-

template what a wonderful investment it would have been to spend this amount in safeguarding the lives of boys and girls.

The word tobacco is derived from "tobaco," the tube or pipe through which tobacco was smoked by the natives of Central and South America.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

I am organizing a kindergarten class in Ada opening September 1st, 1924. Have had special training in this work and three years experience. Charges five dollars per month.
MISS THERA EVANS
Cooper, Texas

AMERICAN THEATRE TODAY AND TUESDAY



MARSHALL NEILAN
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You'll laugh!
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Every moment of Marshall Neilan's great drama is packed with surprise. Here's a full motion picture entertainment.

The leading characterizations are Conrad Nagel, Sydney Chaplin, Lucille Rickson, Emmett Corrigan, Richard C. Travers, Elmo Lincoln, Kathleen Key, Eugene Bessmer, and other popular players.

VOTE FOR

A. C. CHANEY FOR County Attorney

Democratic Primary, August 5th

- 1—He will be fair to everybody.
- 2—He will protect the law abiding and prosecute the criminal.
- 3—Always a Democrat, supporting the entire ticket.
- 4—HE WILL MAKE GOOD.

Wimbish Speaks To Home People

On June 15th, at the suggestion of a few lawyers in this District and with my own consent, I filed as a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court for the Eighth District. On the following day I began an active campaign and have prosecuted the same through the entire district. I have not made any active campaign in Pontotoc County, do not suppose I have solicited a dozen persons to vote for me. My reasons for this were that I have lived in Pontotoc County and in the city of Ada for nearly 21 years. I have always had the interests of the City, County and State at heart; for five years I was this County's First County Attorney; I represented the County one term in the State Legislature. During the rest of the time I have been engaged in the private practice of law. The people of this county know me and know whether or not they can trust me with this important office. I want to assure the people of this county that my failure to make a canvass of the county was not due to any lack of desire for their support, but on account of having lived here the length of time that I have, and having been before the public for more than twenty years the people know me. I am submitting my case to the voters of this county as the lawyers say "without argument." If the people of my own county see fit to honor me with their suffrage I will very greatly appreciate it and promise them that they will have no cause to regret it. My promise to the public is the same that it has always been when seeking office, that I will do my duty as I see it.

Respectfully,

ROBERT WIMBISH

Candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court
of the Eighth District

Attention Republicans!

Your vote for Hugh Scott
for United States Senator
is solicited.

From reports throughout the state he will be nominated.

He is not now and never has been mixed up with any of the factions, political or otherwise.

It is time to lay aside personal prejudice and vote for the protection of your home and your country.

Your vote in the primary for Hugh Scott is needed.
Don't fail to stamp your ticket.

☒ HUGH SCOTT

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CONVICTED WHIPPING
BOSS GETS NEW TRIAL

(By the Associated Press)
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Aug. 4.—The supreme court today denied the petition of the state for a rehearing

in the case of Thomas W. Higginbotham who several weeks ago was granted a new trial on an indictment charging him with the death of Martin Tabert more than two years ago in a Dixie county lumber camp.

That New Gas Range

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Quick Meal—with or without a Lorain
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TELEGRAM

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., Aug. 3, 1924.

R. B. LIGON,

Ada, Oklahoma.

Careful survey of state insures that I will carry five of eight congressional districts and run second to Walton in others. Confusion of the opposition is growing worse and causing thousands of Jeffersonian Democrats to unite on me to defeat Walton and insure Democratic victory in November. Will close my campaign here Monday night speaking over radio WKY at nine fifteen.

T. P. GORE

\$15 FREE**We Want
A New Name**

The Butter-Krust Bakery will open for business again Thursday morning, August 7th, under new management and under a new name. We want the public to select that name and we will pay

**\$10 for the best name
\$5 for the next best**

USE THIS BLANK

Ada, Oklahoma, August _____ 1924

I suggest the following name:

Write your suggestion here.

Your name here _____

Street Address _____

Mail or Bring

your suggestion to the bakery, 215 East Main, before noon Thursday, August 7.

Watch for our ad in
Thursday's paper

It will contain the winning name

W. A. Sullivan

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City Briefs

S. C. Dooley and wife of Okemah, who have been visiting the family of J. W. Dean, returned home Saturday. They were accompanied by Stanley Dean, who will visit in Okemah for several days.

Prof. A. L. Fentem and family have returned from Norman, where Mr. Fentem did work in the University this summer. They report a delightful summer's stay in the little university city.

John Ward has made good. Let's buy his services again. 8-2-21

Harvey Luther and family motored over to Sulphur Saturday to return today.

Earl Fentem, son of Prof. and Mrs. A. L. Fentem, is now member of an orchestra playing at the Artesian hotel in Sulphur. During the school year he plays with a special orchestra at the University. He will be in Sulphur for the remainder of August.

Vote for J. L. (Jim) Miller for constable. Phone 422 for car. 8-4-11*

A. R. Hacker is out of the hospital after several days confinement from an injury by an automobile.

Judge Tal Crawford who spent the week end with his wife who is in an Oklahoma City hospital states that she is now improving rapidly and will be able to come home in a week or two.

Brydia saved our Teachers College once when in danger. A fanatic sent to the legislature this year might lose it. Brydia can take care of it. Send him back to the legislature. 8-1-3*

Dr. and Mrs. Alvis and daughter Miss Winnifred of Roff were visitors in Ada Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Martin of Louisville, Texas, are visiting friends in Ada before going to Sulphur and Medicine Park where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

A Radiola to fit your purse. Cash or on easy payments.—Belton Brady Auto Repair Electric Shop, 211 S. Stockton. Phone 677-J. 8-4-31

Misses Zelma and Fleeta Chadd left today for Wilson where they will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Parker have returned from a two weeks visit to Colorado. They made the trip in their new Dodge sedan.

SEYBOLD 75c CLEANERS 8-24-1m*

Vote for J. L. (Jim) Miller for constable. Phone 422 for car. 8-4-11*

Miss Stella Thornton of Coalgate, is visiting her sister Mrs. Polk Smith.

Mrs. Helen Bass of Oklahoma City spent the week-end with her sister Katherine Powell.

If you do not have a way to get to the polls, Tuesday, call McKeown's Headquarters. Phone 647. 8-3-21

R. W. Simpson left today for Florence, Alabama, where he was called on account of his father's illness.

Radiola—The dependable Radio gets 'em the year around.—Belton Brady, Auto Repair Electric Shop, 211 S. Stockton. Phone 677-J. 8-4-31

Miss Thelma Nolan left yesterday for Okmulgee where she will visit friends.

Let's have a man in the legislature from Pontotoc county next term who will represent all of us, and not one who will represent a few "bosses" of any clique or faction. Brydia will do this. 8-1-3*

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mathews formerly of Byars are making their home in Ada now.

Vote for J. L. (Jim) Miller for constable. Phone 422 for car. 8-4-11*

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Smith and daughter Thelma motored to Coalgate Sunday and spent the day with friends and relatives.

If you do not have a way to get to the polls Tuesday, Phone 20. J. F. (Tad) Lillard, candidate for sheriff. 8-4-1*

T. O. Cullins underwent an operation at the Breco hospital Sunday. He was reported to be doing well this morning.

John Ward for County Weigher. Vote for him and be proud of yourself. 8-2-21

J. W. Balthrop and family attended a Balthrop reunion held near Milburn Saturday at the home of Mrs. C. E. Palmer. Seventy-two brothers and sisters and their descendants were present. Mr. Balthrop's father, aged 75 years, was also present.

A Radiolo III, a \$35.00 set, got all of the Democratic and Republican conventions. I have seven other larger models.—Belton Brady, Auto Repair Electric Shop, 211 S. Stockton. Phone 677-J. 8-4-31

Mrs. W. K. Chaney returned Saturday from Sulphur Springs, Texas, where she has been visiting her mother.

Don't miss voting because you have no way to go. Call 647, McKeown's Headquarters, and a car will be sent for you. 8-3-21

**TAMMANY'S NEW
"BOSS" IS JUDGE**

Judge George W. Olvany, of the court of general sessions, New York, finally chosen by Tammany as successor to "Boss" Murphy, has pledged allegiance to the Davis-Bryan ticket of the Democrats.

McCarty Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855, 116-118 South Townsend. 6-23-1f

Mrs. F. L. Martin and Mrs. Hugh Stokes of Allen are shopping in Ada today.

Vote for J. L. (Jim) Miller for constable. Phone 422 for car. 8-4-11*

Mr. and Mrs. Augusta Delaney of Allen have recently moved to Ada.

Jaunita Sparks of the Vanity Fair Beauty Shoppe spent the week-end in Ravia visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Price and daughter, Mrs. H. A. Green and sons spent the day in Sulphur Sunday.

Don't forget to vote for John Ward for County Weigher. A real Democrat and a good man. 8-2-21

Miss Beulah McCarty left today for her home in Marietta to spend a few days with her parents.

Don't be loose-herded at the polls by petty would-be Tammany bosses. Vote for the man who can best represent this county in the legislature, Fred F. Brydia. 8-1-3*

Mrs. Olive Worley of Sulphur and daughter Ouida of Ardmore are Ada visitors today.

We drain and wash your crank case free. Thee Square Deal Service and Filling Station. 10-3-1f.

Dr. Sam A. McKeel left with the nation guard for Ft. Sill.

Think of what is best for Ada and Pontotoc county when you cast your vote for representative next Tuesday and you will vote for Brydia. 8-1-3*

Dr. M. M. Webster and family left this afternoon overland for a two weeks vacation in the Ozark mountains.

Motor Sales Co. parts and accessories for all cars. 8-12-1f

Mrs. Wheeler and Dr. Ella Coltrane returned today from Oklahoma City where they spent the week-end visiting their brother J. J. Coltrane.

J. M. Bell, team contractor, Phone 799-W. 7-23-1mo

C. C. Lea left today for Fort Sill to fulfill his duties with the national guard.

Go to the polls next Tuesday and vote your horse sense, instead of your prejudice. Vote for Brydia for Representative. 8-1-3*

Webb Riddle arrived yesterday for a short stay with his mother before going to Fort Sill for the encampment. Webb has been with the Honest Bill show for several weeks, he left the show "some where" in Michigan.

Vote for Pontotoc county Tuesday instead of a few fanatical leaders. Vote for Brydia for the legislature. In the language of Andy Gump "he wears no man's collar." 8-1-3*

Russell Battery Co., Willard Service and Sales. Phone. 140. 8-6-1m.

Superintendent J. E. Hickman reports that most of the plans for the coming school year have been finished with the exception of a few teachers who have not sent in their contracts and those who have recently resigned, the teacher question is over. Mr. Hickman expects to complete all other preliminaries in regard to school this week.

As a memorial to Harry Hawker, the aviator who was killed in 1921 a lofty white marble cross has been erected opposite his home in a churchyard at Hook, England.

WHAT THEY SAY

To the Good People of Ada and Vicinity:

Dear Friends: Let's kindly remember that tomorrow we will say by our ballots who shall be our rulers, both state and county. Let me urge each of you, my friends, to remember that that thing known as strife, when cultivated, always brings trouble, instead of good. So as one who is proud of your past patronage and friendship, I hope and pray that each of you, both men and women, will go to the polls determined to vote for the candidate of your choice, just as I intend to do, and allow the same privilege to others without arguing.

Let's keep in mind that strife is foolishness and that as American citizens we ought to allow one another our God given individual privilege. If we will do this everything will go off lovely.

Sincerely yours,
"SOAPY" JOHN LUNSFORD.

Resolution.

Whereas, our beloved Bro. F. D. Hill was a much respected citizen of many years residence of our city whose friends were numbered only by his acquaintances, and

Whereas, Bro. Hill was a devout member of the First Methodist church of Ada, Oklahoma, and also a consistent member of the Men's Bible Class of the Sunday school of said church, and

Whereas, God in His wisdom saw fit to remove this brother from our midst; that he departed this life on July 20th, 1924, now

Therefore be it Resolved, that this class extend to the faithful wife and devoted family its deepest sympathy in these dark hours of their sad bereavement; that while all miss Bro. Hill so much, his absence from our class is nothing to compare with that of his life companion and children whose constant devotion lingered until the last breath had gone—then in the words of the Master, exclaimed: "Father, not our will but Thine be done," and commended his spirit unto the God who gave it, to that haven of rest prepared for the faithful from whence he cannot return but to which place we may go to dwell in peace forever

Be it Further Resolved, that a copy of this Resolution be given to Mrs. Hill, wife of our departed brother, a copy handed to the Ada News for publication, and a copy to our Secretary to be recorded in the minutes of our Sunday school.

Yours in the spirit of the Master,
ROBT. BRADLEY,
F. W. CHAMBERS,
C. A. SMITH, Committee.
J. L. Adair, Teacher.

**Lodge and Club
Notices**

The regular meeting of the American Legion auxiliary will be held in Legion rooms in the convention hall, Monday evening, at 8:00 o'clock. It is important that all members be present.

Attention Lions

Ada Lions will meet at the Har-

A Woman Said:**"That Boraxo
Powder--**

—there on the shelf, is the finest thing I have ever tried for washing the hair in this HARD water—and making it soft and silky."
—That gave us an idea—we pass it cheerfully on to you. We do that thing in many and various ways, day by day, for THE DRUGGIST IS MORE THAN A MERCHANT. He sells you merchandise, he recommends simple household remedies, in the absence of the Family Physician when more POTENT remedies are not needed—the druggist fills your prescriptions when some dangerous malady is sets itself, and the Family Physician or Surgeon is, wisely, called in to diagnose.

The Druggist appreciates your business—and puts forth a mighty effort to demonstrate it.

TRY THE DRUG STORE FIRST!

Listed below are a few Purest Items and others sold by us: Rexall or other Rubbing Alcohol. Zinc Stearate Baby Tale. Purest or Squibb Castor Oil. Zinc Stearate Baby Tale. G. & M. Floor Oil—1 gallon 50c

GWIN & MAYS

The Rexall Drug Store

VOTE FOR**Wm. L. Cheatham**

He has a constructive platform in accord with the Democratic national platform.

He is not a Klansman, neither an Anti. He is for all the people.

He can be elected in the general election.

ris Hotel Tuesday at the regular time. The program committee has promised an entertaining program, and you will enjoy the hour.

Weather

The temperature for the day was not as high as it has climbed several times this summer. The maximum this afternoon was 98.

**"My
Rheumatism
is gone—"**

"THERE are thousands of you men and women, just like I once was—slaves to rheumatism, muscle pains, joint pains, and horrible stiffness. I had the wrong idea about rheumatism for years. I didn't realize that increasing blood-cells had the effect of completely knocking out rheumatic impurities from the system. That is why I began using S. S. S. Today I have the strength I used to have years ago! I don't use my crutches any more." S. S. S. makes people talk about themselves the way it builds up their strength. Start S. S. S. today for that rheumatism. You'll feel the difference shortly.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

**S. S. S. The World's Best
Blood Medicine****McSWAIN
THEATRE****TODAY**

Adolph Zukor and Jesse L. Lasky, present.

**GLORIA
SWANSON****"A Society
Scandal"**AN ALLAN DWAN PRODUCTION
A Paramount Picture

Gloria's triumphant return to the type of society love drama that made her famous.

Beginning the Week

with further price inducements on many lines

Summer goods are right now the lowest they have been during the entire season, and at these rates we are satisfied they will soon be sold. Come and see the many things we have to offer in all departments.

**An Extraordinary
SHIRTING SPECIAL**

49c yard

Attractive new shirting materials that are appropriate for business, dress and school wear—including waists for little chaps. They are 36-inches wide, silk striped and fine woven madras. Regular 65c sellers with us.

**Color Catches the Eye
FOR SCHOOL DRESSES****New Fall Gingham**

VALMORE—Known for their extra wide breadth of patterns, in assorted plaids, checks and plain colors. The yard (6 yards for \$1.) 19c

M. F. C.—Marshall Field and Company specials in high new patterns, and absolutely fast colors. Plaids, checks and stripes of all sizes —25c

**Hand-Embroidered
Philippine Underwear
Extra Special, 1.87**

Made of the sheerest foreign nainsook batiste, beautifully designed with colorful embroidery in front and supplemented with hand-drawn threads around yokes. In both teddies and gowns. Our regular \$2.00 seller.

**Specials From the Variety Basement**

8-Quart Grey Enamel Pails, in good quality, self watered designs —49c

Large size grey enamel dish pans with rim holders —69c

**42-Piece Blue Bird
DINNER SET**

7.95

Perfect blank quality white with Blue Bird and floral patterned designs. Consisting of all sets and individual pieces necessary for everyday use.

**Shaw's
DEPARTMENT STORE**

The Mystery Road

By
E. Phillips Oppenheim

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To Christopher the scene was a novel one, and he leaned forward in his seat. Two young ladies had seated themselves at the next table to the Russian, and the nearest was glancing tentatively at him now and then, without, however, evoking the slightest response. People from all quarters were whispering together and glancing toward him. The object of all these attentions continued to write his letter unmoved. Presently he called for a chasseur, thrust his letter into an envelope and addressed it. The boy



The Boy Made a Prompt Appearance and Stood, Cap in Hand, Waiting for His Order.

made a prompt appearance and stood, cap in hand, waiting for his orders. The man who had just won two million francs handed him the letter, gave him some brief directions and a handful of coins. The chasseur saluted and hurried off. Gerald gripped his companion by the arm.

"Did you hear that, Chris?" he whispered.

"I heard nothing," Christopher replied.

"I saw the address, too," Gerald continued eagerly. "The letter is to Madame de Pontiere, Villa Violette."

The dispatch of the letter was the signal for certain almost imperceptible advances on the part of those who had been watching the great man. The young lady at the next table leaned over and congratulated him on his good fortune, an overture which was received a little gruffly and without enthusiasm. A seedy-looking stranger slid from his stool, leaned over the table and whispered a few words in the Russian's ear. He was a sandy-haired man, with puffy cheeks and a nervous manner. His clothes had once been well enough, but were now shabby. He had the gambler's restless air.

"Sir," he began, "forgive my addressing you."

"What do you want?" was the blunt rejoinder.

"I stood behind your chair in the rooms. I flatter myself that I brought

La Follette Pleased With Endorsement By Federation

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Gratification was expressed by leaders here in the LaFollette for president movement over the endorsement given the independent ticket by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor at its meeting Saturday in Atlantic City.

Senator LaFollette and his advisers, however, decline to comment on the council's action, some of them explaining that they desire first to ascertain the gist of the report adopted.

Supporters of the LaFollette-Wheeler ticket had been confident all along that the American Federation of Labor would approve the candidacies of the Wisconsin and Montana senators.

While leaders in the federation sympathetic with the LaFollette movement had been active in bringing an endorsement, friends of Senator LaFollette not affiliated with organized labor declared Saturday they had made no effort to influence the federation's council, were out of touch with the proceedings in Atlantic City and had no inkling as to the contents of the report adopted.

It was apparent that the LaFollette adherents were of the opinion that a declaration from the federation of labor would have great influence among organized workers and would greatly enhance the chance of the LaFollette-Wheeler ticket to receive a heavy vote in industrial centers.

you fortune, as I have brought it to many others. I wanted you to win. I have lost as much at the tables as you have won. Will you grant me the loan of a meal?"

"Go to h—!" was the brutal reply. "I have nothing to do with cadgers."

The man staggered as though he had received a shock. He was used to rebuffs, but not such rebuffs as this.

"Monsieur!" he stammered. "Perhaps five hundred or even two hundred francs—"

"Not a sou, and be off. Do you want me to complain to the manager?"

The young man edged away. Gerald smiled as he saw him cross the floor.

"Horribly bad character, that," he remarked to Christopher. "I missed him here last season and asked where he was. They told me that he was in prison for stabbing his mistress. I suppose I shall get it in the neck, Chris, but I've got to talk to the old brute. I can't afford to miss an opportunity of speaking to some one who knows Pauline."

"I shouldn't, if I were you," Christopher advised. "You see he isn't in the humor to talk to anybody, and if there really is any mystery about the De Pontieres, he won't care about being asked questions about them."

Gerald was, for him, however, determined. "The fellow's manner is brutal, but I believe he's a personage. I shall try my luck in a moment or so."

Gerald waited for several minutes, until his neighbor had entered upon another course. Then he leaned toward him.

"You are a Russian?" Gerald ventured.

"It is entirely my business of what nationality I am," was the cold reply. "Naturally," Gerald agreed. "At the same time, we are all human. The man who wins a couple of millions here is a public character. You will probably find old ladies rubbing their five-franc pieces against your coat sleeves, as you enter the rooms."

"So long as they do not attempt to talk to me, I shall be content," was the curt retort.

"You are not exactly looking for acquaintances, I perceive," Gerald remarked.

"I have none here, nor do I desire any."

Gerald smiled. He had reached the point at which he had been aiming. "That," he observed, "is not strictly true. You have just dispatched a note to some ladies of my acquaintance."

Monsieur Zubin had so far met Gerald's tentative overtures with the cold rudeness of one who recognizes an equal. At his last words, however, a look almost of fury flashed into his face. He struck the table with his fist.

"I ought to have remembered the sort of people by whom I was likely to be surrounded here," he declared. "You, who look as though you ought to know better, cast sneaking glances over my shoulder to read the superscription of a private letter. What a ruffian!"

Gerald bit his lip. He kept his temper perfectly.

"I saw the address, I assure you, entirely by accident," he said. "I happen to be acquainted with one of the ladies or the name would not have attracted my notice. Madame and mademoiselle occupy the next villa to my father's."

Monsieur Zubin rose deliberately to his feet. One realized then his extraordinary height. He must have been at least six feet, four inches, and broad in proportion. Gerald, although he himself was considerably over average height, seemed like a child by his side.

"If you mention their names again," he threatened, "I shall throw you out of the place."

Gerald looked him over for a moment, unmoved but intensely curious. The mystery of Madame and Mademoiselle de Pontiere had only been increased by this chance meeting.

"Pray sit down," he begged. "You are making every one uneasy. I have no wish to quarrel with you. I simply took you for an ordinary human being."

The Russian resumed his seat. Gerald called for his bill.

During their short walk to the Sporting club, where the two young men had arranged to spend the rest of the evening, Christopher endeavored to bring the conversation round to the subject of Myrtle.

"It is time," he insisted, "that we did something a little more definite about Myrtle. You don't take her seriously enough, Gerald."

"In what way?"

"She told me this afternoon that you had promised to take her to one of your supper parties."

Gerald was not altogether at his ease.

"It was rather a rash promise," he admitted, "but after all, why not? She'd create quite a sensation."

"That child's immediate future is a charge upon our honor," Christopher said sternly. "You and I know the class of young women you invite to your parties. She mustn't breathe the same atmosphere."

"Are you in love with Myrtle?" Gerald asked curiously.

Christopher loathed the question but he remained outwardly unperturbed.

"Myrtle is a child," he said. "It will be time enough to think of such things when she has become a woman. The one deadly and pernicious certainty is that she is in love with you. Be careful, Gerald. You don't want to walk on the floor of hell."

They had reached the steps of the Sporting club. Gerald ran lightly up.

"My dear Chris," he said, turning around as he prepared to divest himself of his overcoat, "don't be a melodramatic ass. We're in the wrong at

bers of the campaign committee, who are in Washington. Campaign details were discussed, but no decisions of importance were reached.

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mosphere for that sort of thing. Jupiter! Here is the family!"

"Well, you might appear a little more pleased to see us," Mary declared.

"Let's find a corner in the bar and have some coffee," Christopher suggested. "Gerald is too electric tonight for a man of my staid temperament."

"I'm not so sure of your staid temperament as I was," Mary rejoined. "Christopher, I am not at all sure that you two young men are behaving nicely in Monte Carlo. Gerald seems to have an extraordinary craze for taking the mysterious young woman next door out motoring every afternoon. Who is she?"

"I haven't the faintest idea," Christopher confessed. "Neither has he. That, I think, is part of the attraction."

Lady Mary played with the pearls which hung from her neck.

"To leave the subject of our mysterious neighbors, have you succeeded in finding any employment for your little protégé yet?" she inquired, looking up at her companion.

"Not yet," Christopher replied. "I have written to a cousin of mine in London, who goes in for that sort of thing, to see if she can find her a post as nursery governess. The girl is altogether unusual. Her father and mother were both school teachers. Sometimes I feel inclined to regret that we ever discovered her, but so long as we did, and brought her here, we must try and start her properly."

"And, in the meantime, the poor little fool is hopelessly in love with Gerald. Well, you both know what you are doing, I suppose. I should be sorry to have your responsibility."

"I think I ought to go and see how dad is getting on with his millie."

"Wait one moment," Christopher begged, laying his hand upon her arm.

"I want you to watch this."

She looked up curiously. Gerald had just entered the crowded little room, and, at the same moment, Mademoiselle de Pontiere and her aunt appeared on the other threshold.

Madame was dressed in black clothes of old-fashioned but distinctive cut. A wonderful black lace shawl drooped from her shoulders. Her ears and fingers blazed with gems. She leaned, as she walked, upon an ivory-topped stick, and her eyes had their usual trick of wandering around the room as though she saw no one. Pauline's wonderful figure seemed sheathed in a black net gown, which fitted her with almost magical perfection. Gerald, who had been on his way to join his sister and Christopher, paused at their approach, as though bent on challenging some recognition, however slight, from the girl. In this, however, he was disappointed. Without any appearance of avoiding him, without even turning her eyes away from his direction, she passed by as though in complete unconsciousness of his presence, and followed her companion through the other door. Gerald stood for a moment in silent fury after they had left. The cigarette which he had been holding between his fingers slipped onto the carpet, crushed to pieces. He set his heel upon it and crossed the room. Lady Mary recognized the sense of disturbance in him and welcomed him with the tactful smile of one who has noticed nothing unusual.

"Tell me whether to play trente et quarante or roulette tonight, Gerald?" she said. "Or shall I go and play baccarat? If only the people there weren't so alarming!"

Gerald looked across at Christopher. He seemed as though he had scarcely heard his sister's words.

"Did you see that?" he asked, in a low tone.

Christopher nodded.

"The girl is extraordinarily attractive," Mary observed. "Shall I really be brave and call, Gerald? One doesn't do that sort of thing abroad, but she must be lovely. If they aren't what they should be, it won't hurt me."

"No good, old dear," Gerald groaned. "I've suggested something of the sort already, but she only threw cold water on the idea."

Lady Mary laughed softly.

"After all," she decided, "there is something humorous in the situation. I always look upon Gerald as being the most woman-spolt man I know. Quite a new experience for you, dear, isn't it? I can't think how you ever progressed so far as you have done."

"I should cheer up, old fellow," Christopher advised. "They won't hold out forever. You will probably find that tomorrow afternoon the young lady will shyly invite you in to meet her aunt."

"You don't know what you're talking about," Gerald growled. "There! Did you see that?"

Through the open doorway, Madame de Pontiere and her younger companion were plainly visible, making their way toward one of the roulette tables. They had come face to face for a moment with a little Frenchman, who stopped and bowed with every mark of respect. Both of the women acknowledged his salutation graciously. Gerald sprang to his feet.

"That's Henri Dubois, Monsieur Blanc's representative here!" he exclaimed. "He knows them! Thank heavens, I've come across some one at last who does!"

He crossed the room in half a dozen strides, and accosted Monsieur Dubois in the private way leading to the Hotel de Paris. The usual civilities were exchanged.

"Monsieur Dubois, you can do me a favor," Gerald confided, as he drew him towards the bar and ordered two liqueur brandies.

"If it is possible, it is done," Dubois declared. "If it is impossible, it shall be done."

SEEKS UNION OF ALL WAR VETS

Temporary Headquarters of Organization Established At Little Rock

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 4.—The American Veteran and Allied Patriotic Organization has been formed with temporary national headquarters here, and application made for incorporation in the District of Columbia as a national patriotic organization with its chief purposes "to perfect and maintain an alliance by and between all veteran organizations of all wars in which America has been engaged, and all patriotic societies connected therewith."

Captain B. L. Maloney, U. S. A., of Chicago, national commander of the Veterans of the World War; national aide to commander-in-chief of the United Spanish War Veterans, and a veteran of the Spanish-American War, the Mexican insurrection and the World War, was elected general council president with Mrs. Samuel Preston Davis, Little Rock, president of national United States Daughters of 1812, as general council senior vice-president, and Mrs. McD. Wilson, Atlanta, president general Confederate Southern Memorial Association, as general council junior vice-president.

Other national officers include Mrs. Kay G. Tallquist, Little Rock, executive and educational secretary; J. O. Blakeney, judge advocate; Mrs. John Francis Weimann, Little Rock treasurer, and Mrs. Harry Howard Foster, Little Rock, chaplain.

Besides the general council, or national executive body, it is planned to establish state and local councils for the purpose of promoting and co-ordinating patriotic activities and "to promote humanity, a proper reverence for the dead; Americanism in the broadest sense; to encourage proper observance of all patriotic days and to inculcate and teach the highest forms of American citizenship."

The constitution provides that "all veteran organizations and patriotic societies are eligible to active membership in the American Veteran and Allied Patriotic Organization by subscribing to rules and regulations set forth in the constitution, and by loyal adherence to its tenets, which in no wise limit or circumscribe the individual activities of the various constituent bodies."

It is provided further that "any organization which is performing constructive community service may, upon application, be admitted to associate membership in general, state or local councils, their rights in convention to be restricted to representation without vote."

"I want you to tell me," Gerald continued, "who the two ladies in black were, to whom you just bowed—Madame and Mademoiselle de Pontiere, they call themselves. What on earth is the mystery about them?"

The Frenchman looked at him in bland surprise.

"Mystery, my lord?" he repeated. "Is there one?"

"Look here, old fellow," Gerald said, "I'll ask you one question, and one question only. What are their real names?"

Monsieur Dubois smiled. His difficulties were at an end.

"My lord," he declared, "you wrong those very respectable ladies in imagining that they would present themselves here under names to which they had no right. Both ladies, who are, as you have doubtless surmised, related, are entitled to the name of De Pontiere. The first Christian name of the older lady is Anastasie, of the younger—Pauline. I am happy to be able to satisfy my lord. A thousand excuses. They call me from the baccarat room."

Gerald returned dejectedly to the room where his sister and Christopher were waiting expectantly.

"It appears that there is no mystery at all," he announced. "Dubois assures me that they are related and that their names are indeed De Pontiere."

(Continued Tomorrow)

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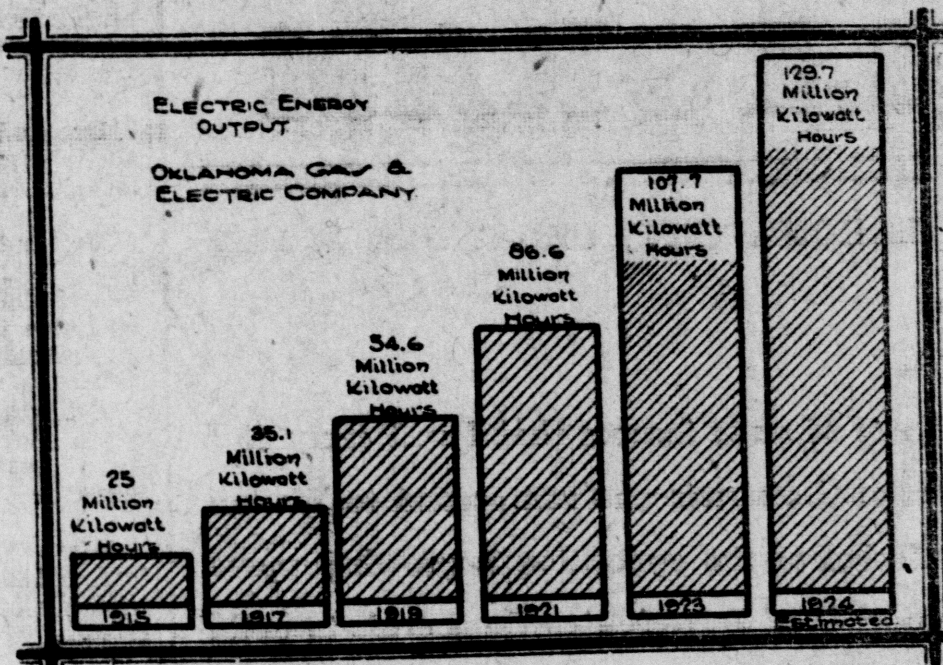
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Farmers' Column

Byron Merrill

Vegetable Chow Chow

Prepare the vegetables, lay in layers salted lightly and drain overnight. Use one quart of fresh corn, two quarts of string beans, two heads cauliflower, two quarts diced onions, six green peppers. Make a hot vinegar of three quarts vinegar, two cupfuls sugar, two tablespoonfuls mixed whole spices, two tablespoonfuls each of celery seed and mustard seed. Cook the vegetables in this for two hours slowly, add two cupfuls of green peas, and cook another hour. Splendid to tone up beef.

Spiced Onions

To each quart of button onions, allow one cupful of vinegar, a teaspoonful mixed spices and two tablespoonfuls sugar. Cook slowly so the onions will keep whole, for two hours, and bottle while hot. Serve with meat hashes, fish cakes and meat pies.

Tomato Hash

This may be made and served within half an hour, but also keeps well in jars. Dice two cucumbers, one large onion, four solid fresh tomatoes, and two stalks of celery. Sweeten slightly, salt and pepper to taste, and cover with cold vinegar. This is a very pleasing relish served with cold meats.

Beet Pickle

To each cupful of chopped beets, allow a cupful of vinegar in which two sticks of cinnamon and a teaspoonful of whole cloves have been heated, with half a cupful of sugar. Cook an hour and bottle. Good with roast beef or baked fish.

Sour Succotash

Take equal parts lima beans and corn. Cook slowly in hot vinegar, spiced and seasoned with salt and pepper and brown sugar. To each quart of vinegar allow one cupful and a half of sugar, two tablespoonfuls spice, two teaspoonfuls salt and half a teaspoonful pepper. This seasons two quarts of succotash. Serve with roast beef, stuffed lamb, or pork chops.

Cloved Watermelon

Salt and drain eight pounds of watermelon and drain eight pounds of watermelon rind. Heat one quart of vinegar, four pounds of sugar, and one half cupful whole cloves. Cook the rind slowly for three hours

In this, drain and bottle. Serve with almost any meat or fowl.

Tomatoes in Mustard

Slice green tomatoes half an inch thick, salt and drain over night. To four quarts of tomatoes allow one-half pound of mustard, one cupful or sugar, one cupful of flour and one-half ounce of turmeric in two quarts of vinegar. Cook until tender, and put into jars. Serve with any kind of meat.

Seed Cucumber Relish

Peel, slice and chop seed cucumbers, salt and drain. To each quart allow one cupful of vinegar, a teaspoonful, each, of celery and mustard seed, a tablespoonful sugar, and a teaspoonful whole cloves. Cook until tender, and put away in crock with strips of horse-radish root for a month.

Apple Pickle

Pare, core, and quarter tart apples, enough to make three pints. Stick each piece with several whole cloves. Heat a quart of vinegar very hot, dissolve in it three cupfuls brown sugar. Add three sticks whole cinnamon and half a cupful chopped orange peel and ginger root. Cook the apples in the seasoned vinegar for two hours very slowly. Put into jars, covering them with the hot vinegar. Serve with cold meat, fish salads, or fowl.

RUN-OFF CAMPAIGN IN TEXAS UNDER WAY

DA. A. Aug. 3.—The run-off campaign in Texas between a man and a woman for the governor's nomination for governor will go into full swing this week. Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, who was second in the July 26 primary among the candidates for the nomination, according to the Texas election bureau figures, plans to open her final campaign for the nomination in Dallas Wednesday night, and to carry it into the cities and sections of the state where Judge Felix Robertson, the Klan-endorsed candidate and high man in the July primary, polled his most votes. The plans are for her in Dallas to make a short address at the state fair grounds, to introduce her husband, James E. Ferguson, former governor, and have him speak for her. Mr. Ferguson, as in the campaign which ended July 26, will be her principal manager.

Judge Robertson will start putting into effect his plans Monday, and Tuesday night which will speak at Wichita Falls. Wednesday night he will be in Amarillo.

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(By the Associated Press)

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Knights of Pythias—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—C. A. Cummings, Chancellor; Commander; Robt. T. Williamson, K. of R. S.

Ada Chapter No. 78, O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month. The second Thursday will be business and the fourth initiation and social.—Margaret Peay, W. M.; Cora H. McKeel, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 26 Knights Templar Masons meets third Wednesday night of each month.—LAYTON CHILCUTT, M. C.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—E. C. PEAY, W. M.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 28, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—MILES C. GRIGSBY, High Priest; JOHN GARDNER, Secretary.

By Bud Fisher

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Only gentlemen are invited to call on the above date as a special visit will be made here at a later date for women and children.

Notice: Do not write asking to be fitted by mail as this is impossible. Every case must be seen personally. If interested, you must call at this

hotel on the above date. Business demands prevent stopping at any other place in this section.—Adv.

The so-called "laziness" of inhabitants of tropical countries is actually a disease, a medical expert says.

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Object of General Mobilization September 12 Explained to Public

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The secretary of war has written the following letter to a clergyman who asked for information in regard to the "Defense Test."

"In acknowledging your letter I wish to thank you for seeking official information on the 'Defense Test' to be held on September 12th. Nothing will be done on that day to alarm any sincere American citizen, and our plans should meet with the approval of all, except possibly those who are opposed to any defense against external aggression. Attached are statements by General Pershing and myself, which explain our plans from a technical standpoint. I would like however, to make several points clear to you.

"In the holding of the 'Defense Test' the war department is merely obeying a basic law of our country. The preamble to the Constitution gives National Defense as one of the main objects for which our government was formed. By an Act of Congress in 1792 the democratic nature of our military service was determined when it was prescribed that all male citizens between 18 and 45 years of age should be available for military duty in time of war. The National Defense Act of 1920 prescribes that the 'Organized peace establishment' shall include all of those divisions necessary to form the basis for a complete and immediate mobilization for the National Defense in the event of a National emergency declared by Congress. To fulfill the expressed purpose of the Constitution we have organized a new citizen army, and prepared a mobilization plan based on community co-operation in the spirit of the Act of 1792 and in conformity with the provisions of the Act of 1920. Such a democratic conception of National Defense will only meet the requirements of an emergency if it is thoroughly understood by all who have definite responsibilities under it. The most practical way of assuring this is by public demonstration.

"The event to take place on September 12th will not be a 'general mobilization.' A mobilization would mean the bringing to war strength, in men, animals and material, of the armed forces of the Nation. Our military establishment will not be increased for an instant on September 12th. The 'Defense Test' will be only a demonstration of mobilization plans. It will be an endeavor on the part of the federal government to inform our people as fully as possible on the present status of our security. Our whole purpose is to present to our country the new citizen army of the United States, and to indicate what action would have to be taken in a National emergency by our individual citizens, and by communities, if our country is to be defended successfully. The simple demonstration plans might be compared to a fire drill in a school for the safety of the children. Just as fire escapes and exits are of little value if the children do not know how to use them, so also are the best plans for our safety, if our people do not know what the plans are, and what they should do in a crisis. We firmly believe that our action is in the interest of more intelligent citizenship.

"We are able to take this forward step because our plans are purely for defense, in their object for peace. We therefore need not keep them secret. Our test will enable not only our own people, but all peoples, to visualize our proposed plan of mobilization. Open defense plans openly arrived at are merely a practical extension of the principles underlying open diplomacy."

"Insofar as there is any foundation for the assumption that people are frequently induced to warlike

Four Ex-Chairmen Help Shaver Direct Democratic Campaign



Cordell Hull (1), George White (2), Vance McCormick (3) and Homer S. Cummings (4), all former chairmen of the Democratic national committee, will be members of a "board of strategy" which will aid Clem Shaver (5), the new chairman, in directing the Democratic campaign.

acts without realizing the consequences of those acts, the "Defense Test" will be a precautionary measure. Every one will be made aware of the sacrifices which war will require of him.

"The 'Defense Test,' on the other hand, will apprise the world as to the world as to our friendly purposes as a nation. They will see that we have neither a standing army of half a million men, like some of the great nations, nor compulsory military training like other great nations. They will see a small standing army, reinforced only by citizens who have undertaken to prepare themselves voluntarily for service to their country in the event of war. As a matter of fact, some of those who object to our simple demonstration could well use it as an object lesson for all nations.

"From a military standpoint the 'Defense Test' will be of practical value. It will be educational both to the military establishment and to our citizens. We have tried to learn from the lessons of the World War. From them we have evolved our present plans which apportion our defense task equally among all communities. Their object is to save millions of dollars and thousands of lives and to prevent wastage through delay and confusion in a defensive war. They are dependent for success, however, on each community understanding its particular responsibilities, and on the co-operative effort of all. Explanation and demonstration are necessary; hence the 'Defense Test.'"

"In conclusion, I would like to emphasize that I am striving for peace, and in common with all Americans I desire it most sincerely. My observation has brought the conviction that such is also the purpose of General Pershing, and of all members of the army of the United States. But the promotion of peace is not secured by the denial of the lessons of history. Our country has always refrained during peace from adequate preparation against the possibilities of war. Nevertheless wars have come in spite of us. Unpreparedness has never prevented war, and the only result of our peace-time nonchalance has been increased losses and hardships to those of our citizen who rallied to the defense of the nation."

"The Rendezvous"

A romance that for tragic strength rivals "Romeo and Juliet," is said to be contained in Marshall Neilan's latest photoplay, "The Rendezvous," which will have its local premiere at the American theatre on today.

The piece is typically Russian and offers this producer a type of story that is entirely different from pictorializations he has handled in the past. It has been said of Neilan's direction that "he opens a door and lets the freshness of a very modern viewpoint blow through his pictorializations," and in "The Rendezvous" he opens the door even wider and invites splendid comedy into a highly dramatic plot.

Into the picturesque atmosphere of a quiet Russian village, Neilan takes Conrad Nagel, as an American army officer and Sydney Chaplin as an English Tommy, and introduces them to the inhabitants of the town. Lucille Rickson, Elmo Lincoln, Eugenes Besserer, and Emmett Corrigan help to comprise the villagers and enact prominent roles in the weaving of Neilan's drama. "The most ambitious film yet attempted by Neilan from the standpoint of dramatic art as well as in the matter of sets and backgrounds" is the manner in which "The Rendezvous" has been characterized by those privileged to view it before rehearsal.

Migrating birds according to their variety, average a speed of 30 to 60 miles an hour.

Curious "stones," pearl-like in color, are found in the head of a fish native to Peru.

HENRYETTA EASY FOR ADA SLUGGERS

Ada Players Outpitch, Outfield and Outthit Invading Sunday Foes

Ada Independent, romped home winner by a margin of 12 runs to 2 over the Henryetta aggregation here Sunday afternoon in a game featured by frequent hitting and much base running.

Local players fattened their batting averages by rapping out fourteen hits and driving one pitcher from the box in the third frame. Kruger voluntarily yielding the box to W. McGee, Rutledge and Lee opened that inning with triples and Fain greeted McGee with a screaming double when he took up the duties of twirling.

The Henryetta players were active at bat, getting thirteen hits off Formby, all of which were singles except for a home run by Owens over the left field fence with no one on base. Formby pitched effective ball, keeping the hits well scattered and never extending himself. The rest of the Ada team supported him in fine style.

Six errors were chalked up against the Henryetta players while the locals failed three times to handle their chances properly.

Lee, with a triple and two singles did much to discourage the opposing twirler. Fain followed with a double and two singles, while Rutledge got a triple and a single. Thompson and Page each secured two singles.

For the visitors W. and R. McGee, Turk, Turnbull got two singles while Owens got a home run and single.

Ada broke loose in the second inning after going out in easy fashion in the first, and by taking advantage of every chance ran in five scores. Two more followed in the fourth, three in the sixth, and one each in the seventh and eighth.

Guthrie and L. Waner in center field handled their chances perfectly. Guthrie getting more flies than Waner because of the harder hitting of the Ada players.

Kruger walked two and McGee gave away three bases. Kormby presented one man with a free base.

Henryetta	AB	R	H
Guthrie, cf	4	0	0
Booky, c	3	0	1
W. McGee, p	5	1	2
Tark, rf	5	0	2
Owens, ss	5	1	2
Turnbull, ss	5	0	2
Shanks, 2b	4	0	1
R. McGee, 1b	4	0	2
Kruger, p	1	0	0
Free, lf	2	0	1
Ada	AB	R	H
Kirkpatrick, 3b	5	0	0
R. Waner, ss	6	2	1
L. Waner, cf	5	0	1
Page, rf	5	1	2
Lee, c	5	2	3
Rutledge, 1b	3	4	3
Fain, 2b	4	1	3
Thompson, lf	4	1	2
Formby, p	3	1	0

First Inning

Henryetta—Guthrie struck out. Booky reached first on Fain's error. W. McGee struck out and Turk grounded out to short.

Ada—Kirkpatrick, R. Waner, and L. Waner grounded out to infield.

Second Inning

Henryetta—Owens grounded out to Fain. Turnbull grounded out to Rutledge. Shanks hit over Fain. R. McGee hit over Waner. Kruger struck out.

Ada—Page hit to the rightfield. Lee grounded through short, sending Page to second. Page stole third on catcher's error. Lee then stole second. Rutledge walked. Page scored on wild pitch. Lee going to third. Fain grounded to first, Lee being thrown out at home. Fain stole second. Thompson walked.

With the bases filled the catcher tried to catch Rutledge off third. Rutledge scoring on third's error. Formby grounded to third, who failed to catch Fain at home. Formby stole second. Kirk grounded to third who failed to catch Thompson at home. R. Waner drove hard to short who failed to hold ball. Formby scoring, and Kirk caught out at second. L. Waner hit through second. Page grounded out to Kruger.

Third Inning

Henryetta—Guthrie flied out to Fain. Booky grounded out to Fain. W. McGee hit over second. Turk flew out to Thompson.

Ada—Lee tripled to rightfield. Rutledge tripled scoring Lee. Kruger gave up the box and W. McGee took his place. Shanks going from left field to second and Lee taking left field. Fain doubled, scoring Rutledge. Thompson struck out. Formby reached first on Owen's error.

ror. Kirk went out on infield fly. R. Waner flied out to left field.

Fourth Inning

Henryetta—Owens knocked the ball over the fence for a homerun. Turnbull singled. Shanks struck out. R. McGee flied out to left field. W. McGee grounded to Fain who caught Turnbull out at second.

Ada—L. Waner flied out to short. Page fouled out to third, and Lee grounded out to first.

Fifth Inning

Henryetta—Guthrie flied out to Thompson. Booky walked. W. McGee hit through second. Booky caught overrunning second base. McGee went to second on wild pitch. Turk hit over second, scoring McGee on R. Waner's error. Owens grounded to Formby who threw Turk out at second.

Ada—Rutledge singled. Fain singled, Rutledge going to second. Thompson hit into a double play. Shanks to Owens to R. McGee. Formby walked. Kirk grounded out to Owens.

Sixth Inning

Henryetta—Turnbull grounded out to R. Waner. Shanks was out by the same route. R. McGee singled to centerfield. Freen grounded to Kirk who threw McGee out at second.

Ada—R. Waner reached first on dropped ball, going to second on a wild pitch. L. Waner flew out to Guthrie. Page grounded out to pitcher. Lee singled, scoring R. Waner. Rutledge went to first when Turk dropped fly. Fain walked. Thompson singled, scoring Rutledge and Lee. Formby flew out to third.

Seventh Inning

Henryetta—Guthrie struck out. Booky singled to L. Waner. W. McGee grounded to Formby. Fain dropping ball and Booky and McGee being safe. Turk flew out to centerfield and Owens struck out.

Ada—Kirk flied out to Guthrie. R. Waner reached first on infield hit. L. Waner flied out to Guthrie. R. Waner stole second. Page singled scoring Waner. Lee flew out to third.

Eighth Inning

Henryetta—Turnbull hit over second. Shanks struck out. R. McGee grounded to Waner who threw Turnbull out at second. Freen singled, sending McGee to second. Guthrie struck out.

Ada—Rutledge was hit by ball. Fain singled. Thompson singled scoring Kirk who was running for Rutledge. Formby walked. Fain being thrown out at home. Formby stole second. Kirk walked. R. Waner hit into double play, pitcher to catcher to first.

Ninth Inning

Henryetta—Booky flied out to Thompson. W. McGee flied out to L. Waner. Turk singled, as did Owens. Turnbull grounded out to Formby.

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